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In re Patent Application of :
Knut Beekman et al. : Attn: Applications Branch
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For: A METHOD OF DEPOSITING LAYERS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks,
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified application, please enter
the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 4, line 1, change "any on of the preceding claims" to --Claim 1--.

Claim 6, line 1, change "any on of the preceding claims" to --Claim 1--.

Claim 9, line 1, change "any on of the preceding claims" to --Claim 1--.

Claim 13, line 1, delete "or Claim 12".

Claim 14, line 1, delete "or Claim 12".

Claim 15, line 3, change "any one of the preceding claims" to --Claim 1--.

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